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OAKLAND WILL RECEIVE 159TH

Plans Big Reception to Boys of Alameda and Contra Costa Counties—Very Important Developments in Reed Case—Blow Safe in Railroad Office at Pittsburg—Wilson Splits With Italy.

OAKLAND, April 21.—The 159th Regiment of overseas heroes is speeding toward Oakland!

The East Bay's "own" are scheduled to arrive Saturday.

And the East Bay municipalities are united to give the returning warriors a welcome royal.

Miles of smiles and cheers along decorated streets, thousands of pretty girls, a special girls' chorus from the Girls' Division of the War Camp Community Service, a thousand or more mothers of overseas heroes occupying a special section of the grandstand along the line of march, a reception at the Defenders' Club, welcoming speech by Mayor Davie, dancing, skating, joyriding at Idora, a turkey dinner—these are just a few of the features being prepared for the great homecoming celebration.

Meanwhile hundreds of Alameda and Contra Costa County men will arrive here tomorrow en route to the Presidio for demobilization with the 363d and 347th regiments who will be the guests of San Francisco in a mammoth homecoming welcome celebration.

Jesse Robinson, chairman of the Civic Welcome Committee, having Oakland's mighty welcome in charge is arranging to have the East Bay men in the 363d and 347th regiments released to participate in Oakland's celebration in honor of the 159th.

VERY IMPORTANT REED EVIDENCE

SAN FRANCISCO, April 21.—New evidence, which appears to absolutely fasten the murder of Miss Inez Reed, the Contra Costa County nurse, upon Dr. Ephraim Northcott, was announced by Police Lieutenant Goff today.

Goff announced he had discovered a milkman who delivered milk to Miss Reed in Dr. Northcott's San Mateo home on April 5 and 6—just before the dead body of the army nurse was found in a gulch near San Mateo.

He is Edward Pacheco, who has a San Mateo milk route.

"That is the woman I gave milk to," Pacheco said, when shown pictures of Miss Reed.

YEGGSMEN BLEW SAFE; GOT $341

PITTSBURG, Cal., April 21—The safe of the Oakland, Antioch & Eastern Railway Company was

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SAWDOFF HAPPENSTANCES

Some lead a strenuous life dodging work, as per I. W. W.

Grafting pertains to horticulture, politics and trusts.

Being a city councilman is hard work and poor pay—a bum job.

When one woman kisses another she is doing a man's work.

A mixture of booze and gasoline makes business good—for undertakers.

Don't orate. Enough and much has been said long ago.

Split the difference between being a helva fellow and a mollycoddle.

We need a standing army drilled to shoot some people right in the mouth.

Contentment is better than riches because it is scarcer and harder to get.

BURGLARS STILL WORK UNDISTURBED

C. S. Renwick, Richmond electrician, reported to the police yesterday that his home on Virginia street had been entered through the rear door some time during Sunday night or Monday morning by a burglar who secured an arm full of Mr. Renwick's clothes and escaped without being seen or heard. Later the clothes were found thoroughly emptied of their valuables in the rear of the Renwick garage. The burglar also stole a bicycle belonging to Mr. Renwick's son, taking an automobile pump from the garage, pumping the tires up and riding away.

Dr. Fraser, local oculist, reported that his home had been entered yesterday morning by a burglar who stole a necklace of little value and a purse containing papers and a baby bond. Mrs. Fraser awoke during the burglar's visit and scared him away before he could secure more valuable objects.

M. L. McNeals place at Pullman was entered yesterday by a burglar who secured 25c in coin and an Ingersoll watch with the dial turned upside down. The initials E. M. C. were inscribed within the case of the watch.

BEAR ATTACKED MAN; SHOT DEAD

"Aronne," one of the big lean Polar bears which participated in the parade of the Al G. Barnes' wild animal circus in Richmond Friday night, was shot to death in San Francisco yesterday morning after he had nearly bitten the hand off Benjamin Bridges, aged 63 years, when Bridges offered the animal a handful of peanuts.

Argonne became maddened and took hand and all in his huge jaws. Bridges screamed as the big bear started striking him on the head with his great paw. Bridges' life was probably saved by John Gallagher, a clerk in the San Francisco postoffice, when Gallagher fired three shots at the bear, killing him instantly. Bridges was taken to the emergency hospital, where his right hand had to be amputated.

Mrs. E. G. Griffin will entertain the Home Club at her residence next Friday afternoon with a luncheon and bridge party.

CELEBRATION FINEST IN HISTORY

Richmond Churches Enjoyed Largest Crowds in History at Their Joyous Easter Services—Excellent Programs Presented and Many Baptisms Reported.

Richmond's observance of Easter Sunday was without doubt the finest ever held in the history of the city, according to the unanimous opinion of all the ministers of the city. Only six months after the end of the greatest war the world has ever known, in which the United States emerged with a glorious victory, there was ample cause for rejoicing all over the country.

There were scores of baptisms reported at the various churches and many accessions to the churches. At the Wesley and Point Methodist churches there were a dozen baptisms and an equal number of accessions to the church. Rev. D. W. Calfee, in remarking on the services of the churches, said:

"The Easter services in the local churches were the finest I have ever seen in Richmond, and I have been here fifteen years. The local Masonic order attended the services of the Point Methodist Church in a body, while there was an unusually large attendance otherwise. Dr. J. C. Gillette, pastor of the First Methodist Church, acted as chaplain at the Knight Templars' annual Easter services at the Greek Theater in Berkeley, at which 14,000 Knight Templars were present."

At the Trinity Episcopal Church the building was filled to overflowing and Rev. H. Blake Hadlow declared that the Easter services were the best and most successful ever held since the church was established. The congregation was the largest in the history of the church. Wade McRacken rendered a violin solo, the choir sand, "I Am He That Liveth," and Miss Adair gave a vocal solo, making the services very interesting. The church was very prettily decorated for the occasion.

At the First Presbyterian Church the building was also filled to overflowing. Twelve infants were baptised during the Sunday school services and a successful Easter program was given. About 250 were present at the Sunday school services and pictures of the meeting were taken. At the regular morning services five members were taken into the church and the administration of the Sacrament was observed.

Rev. Sanborne was every enthusiastic over the Easter services, declaring they turned out splendidly. Those who were baptised were Heber Cecil Bowman, Anna Muriel Bowman, Lucille Phyllis Dodge, Lesleon Marion Hilton, Clyde Henry Mason, Edwin Nystrom Mason, Paul Frederick McIlroy, David Dunlop Newsome, Beulah Catherine Rodger, Margaret Jane Teese, Marion Ogle Wood, Martha Aurelia Wood, Ora Adeline Camp and Dorothy Evelyn Grosser.

Local Boy in Tug Disaster

Raymond Schrader, the well-known Richmond boy, narrowly escaped drowning in the sinking of the naval tug Freehold in New York harbor when it was rammed by an army transport several days ago. Louis Schrader, father of the boy, received a telegram from him stating that he was safe. The Freehold went down in two minutes and the Richmond boy had to fight for his life in the icy waters of the bay before he was saved. He lost all of his belongings when the tug went down.

Dick Hunter, J. M. Bowen, H. Mason and M. Litcheter of San Francisco were in Richmond yesterday.

MICKIE SAYS

REDMEN RAMPAGE TO START TONIGHT

Miss Victoria Toffoli was elected queen of the Redmen's Kla-How-Yah Carnival by a final avalanche of votes cast yesterday before the close of the contest, Miss Toffoli winning decisively. She will be crowned queen of the carnival by Mayor Lane at the opening of the celebration tonight. The standing at the close of the contest last night was as follows:

Victoria Toffoli	22,340
Bessie Donnelly	12,340
Helen Cornell	11,235
Carmelita Lewis	7,700

Moving promptly at 7 this evening the big combined Redmen parade will be the opening event in a five-day program of carnival entertainment which Onetah Tribe of Redmen has worked on for some time in order to present to the people in first-class style.

At the grounds the people will find plenty of amusements in store for them. The dog and pony show is run on a grand scale and is the main attraction; next in line follows the monkey speedway, Hawaiian dancers, jazz whirl, ferris wheel, merry-go-round and at least twenty more attractions; in fact, enough tents are with the concern to comfortably fill the entire First street baseball grounds, where the scene of a week's duration will be enacted.

REV. SANBORNE LEAVES FOR EAST

Rev. and Mrs. H. K. Sanborne of the First Presbyterian Church are leaving this morning on a two months' auto trip through the South and East, planning to travel as far as New York before starting for home. They will go first to Santa Barbara, where they will spend a day or two, then going to the Grand Canyon of the Colorado.

Rev. Sanborne will attend the general assembly of Presbyterian ministers in St. Louis, which convenes on May 15. From St. Louis they will travel eastward through the Cumberland and Blue Ridge Mountains and will view the great natural bridge. They received word from their son, Private Paul B. Sanborne, that he arrived in New York with the 362d Regiment last week, but they believe he will have returned home before his parents reach the East to welcome him.

Rev. Sanborne's pulpit will be filled during his absence by Dr. R. S. Donaldson of San Francisco, Fred Newsome, Dr. Warren B. Moore of Santa Barbara, Dr. W. C. Sherman of Berkeley, Professor W. F. Oxtoby of San Anselmo, Rev. Chas. L. Duncan of San Francisco, Rev. M. Bahnsen of this city, Dr. W. C. Johnson of San Francisco, Dr. W. W. Tiberson of Richmond and Rev. Andrew Beattie, Ph. D. of San Anselmo.

Mrs. Wm. A. Quinly and daughter, Geraldine, are confined to their home at 234 Eighth street by illness.

WILL WELCOME RICHMOND BOYS

A Score of Local Boys Will Arrive in San Francisco Today With 363d Regiment Amid Triumphant Home-Coming Celebration—Calfee Had a Hot Time.

Six troop trains bearing eighty officers and 2,897 men of the 363d Regiment passed through Richmond shortly after midnight this morning on the way from Sacramento to the Oakland mole.

Richmond people will fully celebrate the home-coming of the 363rd regiment when it reaches San Francisco this morning. Schools will be closed here today to allow the school children and the faculty of the schools to witness the wonderful celebration in the bay city. Many Richmond boys are included in the roster of Contra Costa county boys in the 363rd, the list of boys from this county, practically complete, following:

Headquarters company—Peter Demetrakopulos and Emmet C. Griffin, Pittsburg; Manuel W. Garcia and Loreto Irti, Crockett; Morris Lee, Martinez; William Lawrence, Danville; Reuben F. Hill, Richmond; William J. Albach, Orwood.

Supply company—Matthew J. Lynch, Antioch; Frank Arellano, Concord; Harold Houlihan, Pittsburg; William T. Teakle, Richmond.

Machine Gun company—Joseph T. Seares and Louis L. Fisher, Concord; Salvatore D. Mircurie, Crockett; Manuel C. Lemons, Lafayette; Ansane Caselli, Richmond; Edward S. Rowan, Pittsburg; Matthew A. Zuppan, Glenn Fraser.

Company A—Walter E. Ham, Richmond; Miguel R. Marcos, Pinole.

Company B—Ross. L. Calfee, Richmond.

Company D—Philip Goldstein

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COUNCIL MEETING IS POSTPONED

There was no meeting of the Richmond City Council last night, the meeting having been called off by Mayor Lane out of respect to the memory of the late Council J. B. Ogborn, who passed away yesterday. The city hall will be closed all day today and flags on public buildings will be at half-mast. The next meeting of the city council will be on next Monday evening.

W. C. T. U. Jubilee Drive Going Ahead

The Richmond W. C. T. U. will hold a meeting at 2 o'clock this afternoon in the Christian Church, when plans will be discussed in regard to raising Richmond's quota of between $400 and $500 of the W. C. T. U. ubilee fund of $1,900,000 in California. The quota for Contra Costa County is $1,050, but it is the opinion of the local workers that the quota can be raised in Richmond alone.

Mrs. Clara Wilson, president of the local and county W. C. T. U., stated yesterday that she had received word from the national president of the organization asking that no soliciitng be carried on during the days of the Victory Loan drive, so that soliciting ended Saturday until May 10, when the loan drive ends. A report on funds received in Richmond up to the present time will be made at the meeting tomorrow. The W. C. T. U. drive ends on May 31.

MISTAKEN FOR A BURGLAR

When a man who was working putting in a wireless station on the roof of the building at Sixth and Macdonald, walked along the edge of the building late last night, a call was sent in to the police station that an attempt was being made to burglarize the La Moine drug store. Sergeant Wright and Officers Caldwell and Mahnke made a hurry-up trip to the scene, but found only a surprised electrical worker on the roof the building.

The excited citizend explained to the amused policemen that he thought the wireless man was trying to break into the building by dropping over the side and crawling along a ledge. The worker promised to keep away from the edge of the roof so that he would not again attract suspicion.

CHAUTAUQUE ASS'N. TO MEET WEDNESDAY

Chairman John A. Miller of the Richmond Chautauqua Association has called a meeting of the guarantors who signed the contract to bring the chautauqua to Richmond this summer, the meeting to be held tomorrow evening in the Lincoln Auditorium. Plans for the campaign for the sale of the 650 season tickets guaranteed the Ellison-White system will be completed. The list of those who signed the contract is as follows:

Mrs. M. L. Ogborn, Mrs. H. A. Stiver, A. T. Swanson, Charles G. Bacon, J. L. Barneman, F. H. Wilkins, George Olson, T. D. Morgan, L. J. Waldear, E. M. Downer, W. L. Ballenger, J. H. Plate, Fred B. La Moine, H. W. Pulse, W. T. Helms, Thomas A. Boyer, J. A. Waldy, C. A. Donnelly, C. T. Walker, C. S. Downing, H. G. Stidham, John C. Gillette, Frank Hull, C. E. Clark, W. L. Lane, J. N. Long, R. L. Fernald, Clara G. Wilson, Oscar Long, W. W. Scott, J. A. Shaffer, H. B. Kister, Edward F. Rolff, A. A. Hart, Dan Noziglia, John L. Parker, Frank J. Gardner, H. J. Beyer, J. A. Miller, C. A. Odell, Tony Papadikis, O. A. Poulson, A. S. Lilly, C. D. Whitcomb, S. H. Gnaga, Wm. Urquhart, Edward C. Engles, W. G. Casey, H. S. Coyer, T. Kadono, T. Sakurage, Jos. Farreano, W. A. Kreamer, Henry Hopp, Mrs. C. S. Gibson, Mae L. Cunningham, Mrs. Mabel Chapman, Mrs. Pansy Youd, Mrs. Zeb Knott, Zeb Knott, Mrs. John Gerlach, Mrs. J. T. Conwell, L. Winifred Conwell.

SANTA FE GETS TIDELAND LEASE

Mayor Lane received a telegram yesterday from Assemblyman Calahan announcing that Governor Stephens had signed the compromise bill, whereby the city will lease to the Santa Fe Railroad a tract of overflow land near the municipal wharf, in lieu of paying the company a judgment of $80,000, which was obtained several months ago.

E. Hansen of Seattle, Wash., and Geary Brown of Portland, Ore., are spending a few days in Richmond.

MARINE BAND WILL PLAY TODAY

Soldiers of the Sea Will Play on Streets and at Various Industrial Plants — High School Cadets Will Participate and Banks Will Remain Open.

Today will be one of the biggest days in the history of the Victory Loan drive when the Mare Island Marine Band will be in Richmond making a tour of the various industrial plants and playing on the streets in the interest of the loan drive. They will be accompanied by the high school color guard and two companies of cadets carrying flags and posters and by speakers who will deliver short addresses at the various places.

The band will arrive at the Richmond-San Rafael ferry dock at 10:30 a. m. and will play at Park Place and Washington avenue, Point Richmond at 10:50. At 11:15 the band is due at the Pullman shops and at 12:30 at the Standard Oil plant. The street parade will begin at 3 p. m. It was at first planned to have the band play at the Santa Fe shops at 4 p. m., but as the shops will be closed today the committee will assign the band to some other place for that hour.

Loan meetings were held yesterday at the plants of the Certainteed Products Company, California Wine Association, Healy-Tibbetts quarry and Stauffer Chemical Company. Private Frank Rossi of Richmond, who recently returned from overseas, addressed some of the meetings. Other plans not included in the meetings arranged for yesterday and today will be addressed on Wednesday.

All the local banks will remain open between the hours of 5 and 6 p. m. today, tomorrow and on Thursday for the benefit of those who wish to make subscriptions. Several thousand dollars worth of subscriptions were received at the banks yesterday and the committees canvassing the town will make their reports to Chairman G. J. Crary in a few days. The Marine Band will be transported about town tomorrow on trucks of the Standard Oil Company.

Humane Week in Richmond Schools

Yesterday was the first day of humane week, which is officially observed in every city in the United States. All this week every blackboard in every school in the United States will have the words written on it saying: "Be kind to Animals." Next Sunday will be Humane Sunday and will be so observed by every church in the United States and the Richmond pastors are plannin special services in recognition of the day.

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EACH ROBBING THE OTHER

That is what the present saturnalia of high prices amounts to. Each is robbing the other, with the result that every one of the chickens come home to roost and the water seeks its level, just as it always has and always will.

It starts out with the big manufacturers, which have formed themselves into trusts and all agreed upon the exhorbitant prices charged to the trade for every product. All lines are effected, whether it be hats, shoes, groceries, shoe polish or chewing gum. Then the jobber, having been robbed by the manufacturer, in turn passes it right on down to the retailer, adding his own profit thereto, and making mighty sure that his profit is about double what it used to be or what it should be. The retailer then hands it out to the ultimate consumer, who pays all freight, and tacks on his profit also, and owing to the fact that he is getting stung every day of his life he sees to it that his profit is a whole lot more than it should be, so that by the time it gets to the consumer he has to pay from 100 to 500 percent more than he should have to pay. It is a fact that many articles of general use and consumption are raised fully 500 percent from the time they are made until they finally reach the ultimate consumer. And this is outrageous and nothing short of grand larceny.

Retailers are paying right now more for their stocks of shoes for the fall trade than they did for this spring's trade, and the wholesaler says it is because leather is going up. There is no earthly excuse for leather going up. The country is full of it and it is piled up in thousands of warehouses mountain high. It is simply the leather trust, and the government of the United States ought to take it by the neck and make its heels crack.

The same story is handed out in every line. We get it the same way in supplies of all kinds needed in the printing line. We have to pay seven cents a pound for common print paper that is not worth a cent voer two and one-half cents. Paper entering into job printing, such as flats for letterheads, etc., has advanced over 300 percent. A few days ago we sent a man to San Francisco after three rolls of cotton tape and a box of tin tape-fasteners, and gave him $2.50 to pay for them. He brought back a bill for $11.20. And the $2.50 we gave him would have been a fair price for them. We bought a little stove for the office last fall, not bigger than one could carry under his arm, and ordinarily costing about $12 or $14. The bill, with a few joints of pipe, amounted to $49. And so it is all along down the line. Each is robbing the other.

And where are we getting by it? Nowhere, that we can figure out. If a man has a wife and three children he cannot support them in the most ordinary manner for less than $150 a month, when half that would be plenty, under ordinary cir cumstances, and should be plenty now.

There is no excuse for all this robbery, except that everybody has the disease and is practicing it upon the other fellow. Labor has to have twice the wages it used to get, or it cannot live, and so we go dancing around in a circle like a pup chasing its tail. There is only just so much money and credit in the world, only just so many people to be supplied with necessities, and only just so much product to go round. There is no more of a cat than its skin will hold, and nobody ever lifted himself over the fence by the bootstraps yet, though every one of us are trying to do that very stunt right now.

There are only two remedies that we can think of, for admonishing people to be honest is a waste of time. People are not honest, and never have been, and Lord knows whether they ever will be or not. We keep on hoping and dreaming that they will, but can see no signs of it—especially when we take our weekly stipend and go out to buy something to eat to last over Sunday or enough clothes to keep from being arrested for indecent exposure.

In the first place, the Federal government has got to take these matters up and pass laws preventing continuous robbery on the part of everybody in business, and the state governments have got to follow that up by like procedure, and also by the establishment of chains of state-controlled stores, first in the food line and later, if it proves successful, in every other line that is a staple necessity. This has got to be done, and the sooner we all get to doping it out the better.

The second procedure is by the people themselves, and consists in simply passing up all such articles that are exorbitantly charged for and using something else. It can be done in hundreds of cases. When the price of anything sounds to you like highway robbery or grand larceny, pass it up. Do without it and substitute some thing else. The robbing price will very soon come down to earth if that was done generally. When a 5-cent cigar goes to 10 cents, cut it out, and smoke a pipe. If theatre tickets double in price, stay home and read a book and go to bed early, thus also saving on electric lights. Every day we see flying around here elegant automobiles, labeled Somebody's Chewing Gum, or Somebody's Root Beer. The price of those fine autos are added to the gum and the beer, of course. The remedy for that is to quit chewing the gum and drinking the beer. Drink a glass of water once in a while and surprise your innards, and chew the rag; it's cheaper.

Unless the Democratic and Republican parties promise stringent reforms in these matters of public robbery, this paper for one will advocate the formation of a new political party that will, and we don't care a whiz what its name is.

THINKOGRAPHS

The man who tries to cook oatmeal,
Which seems inclined to stay,
Digs out and eats the least burned part,
Then throws the pot away.

The modern adaptation seems to be, do others or they will do you.

Joyriders quite frequently end up with one not so joyous—in a hearse.

Church and state are united in Armenia. Well, Armenia is going to have a devil of a time until she learns better than that.

Another way to get one's mind in a proper relation toward God, is to get to church promptly and not think about the way the fish are biting.

What interest can any man who works his way through this world have in a blather-skite like Debs, who is a professional skimmer of labor's cream? And he ain't the only one, either.

Of the hundreds of thousands of automobiles, not over one-fourth of them are necessary. The rest is high living, and the cost of them all is added to the price of the necessities bought by those who go on foot.

As a rule price is not now based on cost, but upon the amount of money the average gouger thinks you will part with before giving up your fried liver or strawberry shortcake.

So long as eggs, butter, bacon, calico and shoe leather command the present price levels, then we think a woman teacher who gets less than $1500 a year is being buncoed by old vox populi to a fare-you-well.

"Wheat is nearly perfect," is the government report. Ordinarily the announcement would make the country rejoice, but we have the unusual experience of beholding a perfect wheat crop jolting the nation for a light touch of at least a billion.

A North Carolina minister says the world is headed for the time when there will be no more need of courts, jails and sheriffs. We are glad the brother is so optimistic, but we fear it will be a long time yet before the republicans disappear entirely.

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"'I'll take $50', announced the deacon solemnly from his pew.

"Then, as he sat down, a piece of plaster fell from the ceiling, striking him a pretty hard blow on the head. He rose again hurriedly. He had a scared, awed look.

"'I mean $500', he said.

"Then Brother Jimmy Conner shouted lustily from the amen corner:

"'Oh, Lord, hit him again!'"

41 LANGUAGES AID FIFTH LOAN DRIVE

Pamphlets, posters, advertising and newspaper copy will be printed in 41 languages during the Victory Loan drive so that the campaign may be carried among people of foreign birth. All organizations with a foreign birth membership will be sent form letters and special appeals will be written by racial group leaders for publication in foreign language newspapers.

CHICAGO DAILIES HIT AT LOAN SWINDLERS

Chicago newspapers have made an agreement not to accept advertising of financial pirates offering to trade "gilt edge" securities for Liberty bonds and have started a campaign to educate the public against this swindle, through which it is estimated the public has been cheated out of more than $500,000,000 a year.

Beware of small expenses. Stop them with War Savings Stamps.

ARMY TO GET TALKS IN THRIFT CAMPAIGN

To teach thrift through subscriptions to the Victory Loan and War Savings Stamps, three lectures on wise buying will be delivered to 1,500,000 soldiers now in the service. The talks will be made under the approval of Brigadier General Edward L. Munson, General Staff, U. S. A., and will be given under the direction of the Y. M. C. A.

OUR SOUL WILL PAY

There was very little to find fault with in the spirit which the American people showed when the war was brought home to them daily by deeds of heroism sent back from the fields of France. In those days, beneath the selfishness of commercialism, was laid bare the soul of our people. It was the same true, untarnished soul which built the country through nearly a century and a half of struggles which tested every fiber of our being as a nation.

It is this spirit and soul of our nation which makes possible the achievement by the American people of any task which they set themselves to do from the bottom of their heart. Our nation never went into anything with a more determined will than it did to defeat the abominable militarism which had been the lone star of the German people. The American people won that battle.

The government is now making an appeal to the same spirit which won that victory. The only work that remains to be done to make sure of an oversubscription to the fifth loan is to bring home to the American spirit which won the war the realization that there is another great task which it is right to be done. That is paying the bill of the war. The American people know the bill is just and will pay it.

A dollar saved is a dollar made. Invest in War Savings Stamps.

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IDLENESS IN COAL REGIONS

President of Ohio Mine Workers' Organization Gives Out Figures That Are Alarming.

John Moore, president of the Ohio mine workers' organization, declared that out of approximately 50,000 miners in Ohio, between 18,000 and 20,000 were idle during the last week of February and approximately 15,000 of this number had not worked a single day since January 1.

Moore estimated that in the northeastern district alone there were 12,000 idle miners. Those having employment were working only 41 per cent of the time. In the southern district, which usually employs about 28,000, approximately 8,000 were idle and the 20,000 were not working more than one-fourth of the time.

Moore attributed the idleness in Ohio mines to suspension of many business activities through the ending of the war; the attitude of the federal administration in not buying Ohio coal, and loss of Indiana, Illinois and Michigan markets through the federal fuel administration's orders establishing coal market zones.

One year ago coal production was at its highest stage in history. Every mine was working and labor was not sufficient to supply the demand.

OTHER LABOR NOTES

Canadian railway workers number over 150,000.

Janitors in Poland want a ten-hour day, with the front doors closed at 9 o'clock in the evening.

General wage increases ranging from 15 to 20 per cent are being asked by railway workers in Havana.

A board of conciliation will investigate the dispute between the policemen and the city of St. John, N. B.

Civil servants in Ontario are to receive a war bonus amounting to $200 for married men and $100 for single men.

If the coal miners in England are granted an increase of 30 per cent in pay the price of coal will go up $1 a ton.

Because of the high price of steel the large rolling mills in connection with the Canadian steel foundries have been closed.

The United States government has sent to England an employers' commission to study labor conditions and governmental policies.

The Canadian government has promised the miners' federation that a bill will be passed in parliament giving the surface men an 8¼-hour day.

The French government has decided to wind up the armament (munition) department and transform it into a department of industrial reconstruction.

The Motion Picture Players' union, recently organized in Los Angeles, Cal., is the first of its kind in the country. It is affiliated with the American Federation of Labor.

Shopworkers and maintenance men employed by the Boston Elevated company are now receiving advanced wages under a new schedule approved by the war labor board.

The San Francisco Labor council, which has an estimated membership of 60,000, adopted a resolution expressing opposition to national prohibition and urging that the prohibition amendment be defeated by referendum.

Differences of opinion as to whether the seamen should appeal to the peace conference for a settlement of international wage and working conditions resulted in a split in the international seafarers' conference at London, England.

A three-year agreement, providing for daily wages, ranging from $5.60 on March 1 to $6.80 on April 1, 1921, in the monumental granite industry of the country, was announced by the conference of producers and granite cutters at Boston.

There are still no signs of a settlement of the Buenos Aires port tie-up. The government shipping agents and the labor unions are exchanging notes, but no move has been made for the men to return to work under the government decree nationalizing the port services. The port has now been tied up 51 days.

The present scale of German wages, indicated by an agreement reached with the Berlin building trades, gives apprentices 420 marks a month as initial wage. Skilled workers are to be paid proportionately higher and are to be given 25 per cent overtime and 50 per cent for night and Sunday work. Eighteen days' vacation are to be given annually with pay.

John P. Murray of Jersey City, a member of the New Jersey board of education, declared that unless a minimum wage was granted to teachers they would form unions and strike for higher pay. Mr. Murray spoke at a meeting of the board called to discuss a teachers' wage bill. Commissioner John C. Van Dyck of New Brunswick predicted a union of farmers to meet after-war conditions, and then the board president, Melvin A. Rider of Red Bank, suggested a union of taxpayers.

More than 2,000 women took the places of men on six steam railways in and about New York city; 2,080 went to work in munition factories, while nearly 5,000 were employed in similar factories in the Eastern states, all between the spring of 1917 and that of 1918.

More than 8,000 Chicago girls presented demands for a 10 per cent increase in wages, double time for overtime, the 44-hour week and recognition of their organization—the Waist, Skirt and White Goods Workers' union, affiliated with the International Ladies' Garment Workers' union.

A buck private in the Army who is worth about eight millions and who stutters said to his bunkie during a Liberty Loan discussion: "Wha-wha-what the h-h-hell is the u-u-use of havin' m-m-money if y-y-you d-d-don't lend it to the Government?" He owns a cool million and a quarter in bonds.

Conditions Under Present Single Fire Department System

1. Four fire companies—Central, Pullman, Pt. Richmond and 19th and Barrett.
2. Comprising 16 men, plus one Chief and one Asst. Chief.
3. Seven men in Central station; 2 pieces of apparatus.
4. Three men in each of the other companies. Each company one piece of apparatus.
5. Each man has a day off each sixth day.
6. This leaves but five men in Central station three days each week.
7. And leaves but two men in other stations three days each week.
8. All men are allowed one hour three times a day for meals.
9. This leaves but two men in Central station for three hours each day.
10. And leaves but one man in outstanding stations for six hours each day.
11. Statistics show majority of fires occur during meal hours.
12. With one man to a Company for six hours each day, how can efficiency be expected? Luck to a great extent has favored Richmond. That is the only answer.

Conditions Under the Two Platoon Fire Department System

1. Same number of Companies as at present.
2. Number of men increased to 23.
3. Number of Chiefs to remain as at present.
4. Total increase of but seven men.
5. This will bring the personnel of the fire department up to pre-war conditions, plus but one man.
6. This gives Central Company 8 men; 3 outstanding companies each 4 men, plus 3 men to be used when a man in any one of the companies has a day off.
7. This gives the Central Company 4 men and the outstanding companies 2 men each minute of the 24 hour day.
8. Half of the men of each company work days and half work nights each carrying a lunch and changing shifts once a month.
9. Added to this each man will be within call, ready to answer a second alarm.
10. This means that more men will be able to fight fire at any one minute of the day than at present.
11. It means EFFICIENCY.
12. And EFFICIENCY is the BEST FIRE INSURANCE any man could wish for.

We the undersigned organizations of the City of Richmond have read and familiarized ourselves with every working condition involved in the two fire fighting systems and have come to the conclusion that the TWO PLATOON SYSTEM is far superior in every way over the system now in force. We believe a change to the TWO PLATOON SYSTEM will promote efficiency, reduce fire losses, give the firemen humanitarian working conditions and benefit the community as a whole.

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NOTICE

All members of the Hod Carriers Union, Local 274, are requested to be present at our next regular meeting, Monday evening, April 2nd, and members of the executive board are requested to be present at 7 p. m.

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Company — August W. Mortensen, Danville; Henry G. Thomas, Richmond.

Company M—Emmett C. Griffin, Pittsburg.

Rev. and Mrs. D. W. Calfee and Rev. and Mrs. J. C. Gillette left last night for San Francisco to be on hand early this morning when the 363rd Regiment arrives, among the members being First Sergeant Ross Calfee, son of Rev. and Mrs. Calfee. Sergt. Calfee is due at the ferry building at 8:30 a. m. with the 363rd, the parade being scheduled to start at 9 a. m. Lieut. Frank Gillette, son of Rev. and Mrs. Gillette, is recovering from an illness in a hospital in Germany where he was stationed with the Army of Occupation, according to word received from him yesterday.

Sergt. Calfee is prominently featured in press dispatches from Reno, Nevada, telling some most interesting stories of his experiences at the front. A dispatch from Reno, yesterday, was as follows:

RENO, Nev., April 21.—First Sergeant Ross L. Calfee of Company B, Three Hundred and Sixty-third, brother of Attorney Calfee of Richmond, Cal., told the following story while his company was enjoying a few hours in Reno:

Soon after the Ninety-first went into action the first time, he was stationed in the intelligence office at brigade headquarters. For five days the brigade headquarters was in an isolated ravine. Every night a mysterious German sniper fired on the American troops and every night one or more men fell victim to his bullets. He had deadly aim. First would come the sudden crack of a rifle, then an American soldier would fall wounded or dead, then would come a mocking laugh. The American soldiers scoured the surrounding country for the sniper but never could find him.

On one occasion Calfee became separated from a searching party and was mistaken for the sniper and nearly shot by his own comrades. The mysterious sniper was never discovered.

Calfee also told the following story of a German officer who shot an American soldier and changed clothes with him, all except boots, which were too small. Then he advanced with the Americans, letting some of the latter get some distance ahead of him and then shoot them in back under pretense of firing at Germans. He kept this up for several days in the thick of the fight, but was finally detected through his German boots. He was taken back to the intelligence office where he was questioned by Calfee, who established his identity

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G. M. Bowe, motorman, and E. J. Conroy, who were sleeping on the second floor, heard the men pounding on the combination, and started down stairs. They were unarmed, and retreated to their room when the robbers flashed a gun.

The safe finally was cracked by an explosion. The men left in an automobile, leaving no clue.

PRESIDENT CALLS CONGRESS MAY 12

PARIS, April 21.—President Wilson has definitely decided to call a special session of the American congress, probably May 12, the summons being sent from France, it was learned today.

It is now virtually certain that the President will be unable to appear personally before Congress with the peace treaty for ratification by the Senate. Therefore, it is understood that he has decided to call the session the middle of next month in order to work out financial problems and enact appropriation bills which failed of passage at the last session because of the Republican filibuster.

ADMIRAL BENSON AWARDED D. S. M.

WASHINGTON, April 21.—Admiral William S. Benson, chief of naval operations, has been awarded the navy Distinuished Service Medal by direction of President Wilson. Admiral Benson is now at Paris, and presentation of the medal probably will not be made until his return to the United States, as the navy medals have not yet been completed.

CUSHING TELLS HIS SIDE OF THE STORY

To the voters of Richmond and particularly to the Union Labor men:

An attempt was made Saturday morning, through the action of Fred W. Heckman, the business agent of the Building Trades Council, to place me in an unfavorable light with the laboring men of this city. He pulled one of my men off a hauling job, claiming that the man was not in good standing, when R. L. Scott, the man in question had a permit from the secretary of the Teamsters' Union, issued two days before—Thursday—April 17, 1919, signed by E. T. Kelly, the secretary, and to the effect that "Scott was O. K. with the teamsters."

Ordinarily I would not have given the matter any particular thought, but coming as it does at this time, when I am a candidate for the office of councilman, it is important that the people of the city should know the true facts of the case. The move was undoubtedly made with the idea in view of crippling me in my candidacy, and undertake a campaign of [illegible]ing to "whisper me to death."

This I do not propose to stand for. My whole record since I have been in business, both here and San Francisco, shows that I have always employed union labor, and have never employed any other class. I have been in business in Richmond for the past eleven years, paying union men higher wages and working them shorter hours than my competitors.

Ordinarily a man is commended for this line of action, and I sincerely believe that the union labor acquaintances of mine of this city do not countenance any snap action being taken against any one and least of all one who has always been their friend.

Whether I win or lose in this election will make no difference to me so far as the employment of union labor is concerned. My attitude on this question will be the same in the future as it has been in the past.

My intention is to make a clean campaign for the office of councilman, but I will not allow the business agent of the Central Labor Council, or any one else to do me an injustice, and not let the people of this city know the full details concerning it. At this time I am not in a position to tell you who urged Fred Heckman to take this action, whether it was a candidate or a friend of a candidate, but it is very plain to everyone that the move was made to injure me and was very ill advised.

I want your support, I deserve it, and sincerely hope that this will not keep any of my union labor friends from voting for me, as I firmly believe, and I think they are of the opinion that if elected I will be able to do as much if not more for them, than any representative of theirs in the past, or any of the candidates in this coming election.

GEORGE W. CUSHING.
Richmond, Cal., April 21, 1919.

PRES. WILSON QUITS BIG FOUR SESSION

PARIS, April 21—The "big four" met today to thresh out Italy's territorial claims, with President Wilson absent.

The President's withdrawal from the meeting is the result of Italy basing her demands on the pact of London, which America regards as nullified along with all other secret treaties.

Yesterday's session brought the conferees no nearer to settlement, both sides staunchly maintaining their previous position—Wilson standing firmly against awarding Fiume to Italy; the Italians holding out for complete possession of that seaport.

GERMANS BALK AT ALLIED PEACE TERMS

BERLIN, April 21.—The German government was reported today to have decided not to accept the peace treaty—without waiting to learn the terms.

Both the cabinet and the foreign office are openly defiant, figuring the allies are not in a position to retaliate.

The radicals are demanding acceptance of any terms submitted by the allies, but the cabinet now declares final decision rests with the national assembly and not with a plebiscite.

The general opinion prevails today that the government has deliberately misinterpreted the allied invitation to Versailles, hoping to provoke a crisis that will enable the government to blame the allies if the cabinet is overthrown by the radicals.

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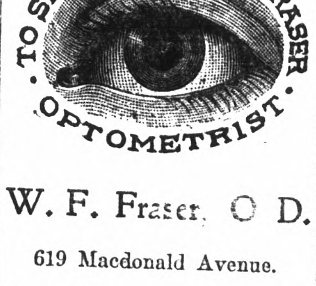

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Local Laconics of Richmondites

The girls' and the boys' first basket ball teams of the Richmond High are scheduled to play the University High School of Berkeley at the Richmond High gym Friday night. The local school is trying to secure games with the Crockett High for the following Friday.

Miss Myrtle Best was elected president of the Delta Alpha Society at the annual election held at the home of the Misses Davis in Piedmont last Wednesday, and Miss Marion McMenimum was elected vice president and Miss Mary Ferrasci, secretary. The afternoon was devoted to a short but important business meeting followed by a birthday party with Miss Reitha Dreyspring as guest of honor, it being Miss Dreyspring's nineteenth birthday. A birthday cake was one of the features of the afternoon pleasures. A one-act play put on by Mildred Best and Gladys Davis was hugely enjoyed by all. Dancing and dainty refreshments were also enjoyed during the afternoon.

Contra Costa Temple, Pythian Sisters, will hold a dancing party at East Shore Park next Saturday night. James Towers Jr., and Harry Moore will be in charge.

The Italian Allied Band's dance in Oakland Sunday was a huge success, netting the local band a considerable sum of money.

City Clerk A. C. Faris, Judge D. J. Hall and Hiram Jacobs were visitors in Martinez yesterday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. L. K. Farren and R. S. Quigley left yesterday for an outing of two or three weeks in Mendocino County.

Mr. and Mrs. Hutt Brown and son returned this week from a trip to Santa Cruz, being accompanied here by Mrs. Brown's mother, Mrs. H. T. Moore, who will visit here. The party brought with them a live coyote pup which Brown caught in the Santa Cruz Mountains.

I. Rossi and daughters, Louise and Ida, are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Conn, coming here from Modesto. Rossi left Richmond for Modesto fourteen years ago and has proven successful in farming near that city since leaving here.

C. E. Marshall, T. W. Adams and George W. Glum are organizing a new jitney line, which will run cars every thirty minutes from Standard avenue to Eleventh and Clay streets, Oakland. The fare will be 25c.

Mr. and Mrs. James Kahl and son of Merced are spending the Easter holidays with their parents, Rev. and Mrs. H. K. Sanborne.

E. R. HURLBURT PRESENTED WITH FOB

Eclipse Lodge No. 403, I. O. O. F., held a big meeting in the Bank Hall last night. The initiatory degree was conferred upon four candidates. During the meeting Brother E. R. Hurlburt was presented with a beautiful I. O. O. F. fob in recognition of having brought in more new members than any other member of the lodge. The presentation speech was made by Past Grand Frank Rhodes.

The standing committee is making arrangements for the participation of the local lodge in the one hundredth anniversary of the I. O. O. F. and Rebekahs in San Francisco on May 14. The grand lodge session will be going on at that time and the gathering and parade on the 14th is expected to be the biggest assemblage of the order ever seen on the Pacific coast.

To Welcome Son of Rev. Calfee

Nordorn Mezille of Modesto is visiting at the home of his sister, Mrs. D. W. Calfee. Mr. Mezille will greet his decorated nephew, Ross Calfee, who is returning with the engineers from France today.

J. B. OGBURN STRICKEN SUDDENLY

All of Richmond was shocked yesterday to learn of the unexpected death of J. B. Ogburn, member of the city council and prominent local architect, who passed away at his home at 824 Bissel avenue after an illness of one week which had not been considered critical by even the attending physicians.

Councilman Ogburn was stricken with facial paralysis last Monday when returning from a trip to Placerville, caused by a blood clot on the brain, but did not consider his illness severe. He attended the meeting of the city council that evening, but was confined to his bed since then until his death, which occurred at 1:05 p. m. yesterday.

On Saturday he was reported as slightly improved and was considered on the road to recovery. Richmond citizens had no knowledge of the severity of his illness and his demise came as a complete shock to everyone

He is survived by a widow, Marie Louise Ogburn; a daughter, Ieda Ogburn; two brothers, Alton and Fred Ogburn of Dayton, Ohio, and three sisters, two in Ohio and one in Colorado. The relatives were notified of the passing of Mr. Ogburn and no funeral arrangements will be made until word is received from them.

The decedent was 52 years of age and was a native of Illinois. He has been in California since 1894 and in Richmond since 1911, coming here from San Mateo. After serving as city architect for several years he was elected to the city council in 1915. He was a member of the local lodges of Elks, Masons and Moose.

A PERSONAL TRIBUTE BY THE EDITOR

It was a dark day yesterday and the clouds and fog of Fate hung low over every heart, for the light of a good man's life had gone out forever, save to shine again over yonder, somewhere. And there were tears in many eyes and a sob in many throats, my own included, for I knew and loved him well. Even now this night as I try to write about him the mists hang round and I have no words adequate to express what I wish. It is one of those times when silence only is golden.

I knew him very well, for years, in a business, official and social way, and there is not a man in town—not one—of whom I could truthfully say more words of praise as a man—a real, manly man. He was honest, honorable and "white," in all his dealings with his fellow man, and he had been even more than that with me, and I, with many, many more, will feel the loss of his presence and friendship very deeply. We will listen for his cheering words and look for his kindly smile, but only the echo of what has been will surge back and beat upon the storm-doors of our hearts.

I wish there was some word I could say or act I could do that might comfort his wife; but there is nothing so eloquent as silence now. I know just how she feels, poor dear woman, and can only leave her alone with her dead and her God.

She has lost a true and loving life companion; Richmond has lost one of its most noble citizens, and I have lost a friend, and all of us feel like a blow has been struck, as indeed it has.

The grim angel of Death hovers o'er a darkened household, and grief has spread over the city. We cry out in anguish at the seeming death of a loved one, but must not forget the lessons of the Easter just passed, with its comfort and consolation as to immortality, and this we must grasp at such a time as this with all the faith and trust of child when it reaches for the prismatic hues of the rainbow with its baby hand.

Joe Ogborn is not dead—he only sleeps. F. J. H.

The Nido Dante Order of Owls will hold a big picnic here next Sunday. The local order is planning to receive hundreds of visitors from other cities around the bay and a big time will be had. James Fugazi, president of the Italian bank of San Francisco, will be president of the day. The Allies' Band will be on hand to provide music.

Winehaven Man Suicides in Hotel

Evaristo Sesti, a former employe of the Standard Oil Company here and lately employed at Winehaven, committed suicide early Sunday by slashing his throat in a room at the Standard apartments. His body was found by the chambermaid, who informed the proprietor, G. J. Gresso, who in turn notified the police and coroner.

The remains were taken to the Curry undertaking parlors, where arrangements are being made for the funeral, which will be held at 2 p. m. on Wednesday. The police believe Sesti was mentally unbalanced and state that he had threatened suicide several times lately. He is survived by a wife and children in Italy and a sister, Mrs. Ferdinand Fatti of Point Richmond. Sesti was 34 years old.

RAILROAD CLERKS HELD WEEKLY MEETING

The Richmond railroad clerks held a well attended meeting last night in the Moose hall. General business was attended to and applications from several parties for membership received. An open meeting is to be held at 8 o'clock this evening in the N. S. G. W. hall at Mason and Geary streets, San Francisco, at which Grand Vice President De Gray will speak. Local members plan to attend in a body. Tickets are now on sale at the Marathon Candy Parlors for the grand ball to be given by the clerks in San Francisco on May 10.

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COMMUNITY COUNCIL MET LAST NIGHT

The advisory committee of the Richmond Community Council held its first meeting last night in the Lincoln School. The meetings of the advisory committee will be held at 7 p. m. each evening preceding the regular Community Council meetings which are to be held semi-monthly. The next meeting of the Community Council will be held Friday night, April 25.

In the absence of Charles Donnelly, president of the Community Council, W. T. Helms, vice president of the council presided.

A committee consisting of Mrs. Kate Smith, Harry Marcus, R. E. Slattery and W. T. Helms, who was added upon special vote of the meeting was appointed and will investigate and bring forward plans for the beautifying of Richmond with playgrounds, parks, etc. The committee will receive expert advice from men who have worked on city planning. The plans will be brought before the Community Council for adoption soon.

A committee of three will be appointed at the next meeting of the advisory board to devise ways and means for the bonding of Contra Costa County for a system of highways. The committee will secure data on the proposed plans and submit them to the council.

A committee of three will look into the matter of the raising of sufficient funds to meet the new government appropriation for the furthering of harbor improvements. The committee will be named at a later date. Those of the advisory board present last night were Mrs. Kate Smith, Mrs. C. F. Donnelly, C. E. Clark, Fred Heckman, H. W. Wernse, Harry Marcus, W. T. Helms, Mrs. Elsworth Foster, F. W. Rhodes and R. E. Slattery.

Will Investigate T. & D. Theater

The Merchants' Association held its regular weekly business meeting last night when the proposition of a new T. & D. Theater building was discussed. After a short business meeting, the merchants opened the meeting to the public and to the representatives of the T. & D. corporation. E. B. Johnson, general manager of the T. & D. circuit, with offices in San Francisco, was present at the meeting and submitted two plans to the citizens of Richmond for the building of a modern theater, one being similar to a theater now situated in Berkeley.

In order to get a beautiful structure such as that one, the citizens of Richmond must buy $25,000 worth of T. & D. stock. This money may be invested in one of two ways, either by taking out that amount of stock in the T. & D. circut preferred stock at 7 per cent guaranteed, or by forming a local company with $100,000 capital, thereby giving the people of Richmond a chance to enter the motion picture game in this city. The stockholders would have one-fourth the ownership of the stock and one-fourth of the control of the local playhouse.

The proposed building will seat 1,600 persons and can be run as either vaudeville, motion picture or stock company show house. Architect A. W. Cornelius, who has designed some of the most beautiful theater buildings in California, submitted the proposed plans for the building which are modern and up to date with every convenience.

Twenty-five prominent local citizens, merchants and business men attended the meeting last night. A committee consisting of Messrs. LaMoine, Ludewig, Renwick, Forwick, Garfinkle, Silveria and Burdeck was appointed to look into the matter for the merchants, investigating the two different plans and visiting the Berkeley T. & D. theater, which is a beautiful and modern building and is a credit to the city of Berkeley.

LOCAL FIGHTERS COMING

Captain E. G. Griffin, with his fighting 159th Infantry, is due to arrive in San Francisco Friday or Saturday. About fifteen local boys are with the company who have seen service with Captain Griffin on the Mexican border and in France. The company will be demobilized at Camp Kearny. Base Hospital No. 47, for several months under command of Captain (Dr.) Abbott, which was recruited from about the bay cities, will arrive in New York next Thursday. The unit was stationed at Beaune, France, for several months. The unit is in command of Colonel Charles Levison of San Francisco. Many of the relatives and friends of the boys will be on hand in San Francisco to meet the 159th, and a larger number will greet Base Hospital No. 47, which has nineteen local men.

Children of Banishment, At T. & D.

Mitchell Lewis, who will be seen in his second Select Picture, "Children of Banishment," at the Richmond Theater today, had many thrilling and novel experiences while this picture was being filmed high up in the Sierra Nevada Mountains. Mr. Lewis had one experience that nearly landed him on the other side of the "River Jordan."

Tom Bates, who is one of the real old-timers in stage and picture circles, is the "cookie" in "Children of Banishment," and he and "Mitch" "bunked" together. One afternoon Tom placed a can, which he supposed contained water, over the fire to boil, and then sat back to await results. Ten minutes later Mr. Lewis came in and smelled a peculiar gaseous odor. He investigated and pulled Tom Bates' can of "water" off the stove and threw it out of the window. Tom had been boiling kerosene, and in another minute he would have had no need for tea.

CAMPAIGN NOTICE

The headquarters of the campaign committee of the 2700 Club will be at the Labor Temple, open from 7 to 9 p. m. Phone 693.

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